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Sir:

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement of October 20, 2003, applicants elect without traverse, claims 16-30.

There are no other outstanding rejections or objections to the claims. Accordingly, all claims are believed to be in good condition for allowance.

Prompt reconsideration and allowance of this application is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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